

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

LISTING OF CLAIMS

1. (Currently Amended) A hand saw, comprising;
a handle including a hand grip portion and first and second blade mounting portions, said first blade mounting portion being disposed on a side surface of said handle and said second blade mounting portion being disposed on a bottom surface of said handle; and
a blade adapted to be removably mounted to either of said first and second blade mounting portions;
wherein said handle is a single, integrally formed member.

2. (Original) The hand saw according to claim 1, wherein said first and second blade mounting portions each include a screw boss for receiving a blade mounting screw therein.

3. (Original) The hand saw according to claim 2, wherein said first and second blade mounting portions each include a key adapted to be received in an end slot in said blade.

4. (Original) The hand saw according to claim 1, wherein said first and second blade mounting portions each include a key adapted to be received in an end slot in said blade.

5. (Original) The hand saw according to claim 1, wherein said handle includes a hook member for hanging said hand saw.

6. (Original) The hand saw according to claim 3, wherein said handle includes a hook member for hanging said hand saw.

7. (Withdrawn) The hand saw according to claim 1, wherein said first and second blade mounting portions each include a clamp assembly having a pin adapted to be received in an aperture in said blade.

8. (Withdrawn) The hand saw according to claim 7, wherein said clamp assembly includes a wing nut for securing said clamp assembly to said blade.

9. (Withdrawn) The hand saw according to claim 7, wherein said clamp assembly includes a clamp plate.

10. (Original) The hand saw according to claim 1, wherein said first blade mounting portion includes a threaded hole for receiving a fastener therein.

11. (Original) The hand saw according to claim 10, wherein said second blade mounting portion includes a threaded hole for receiving a mounting screw therein.

12. (Original) The hand saw according to claim 11, wherein said handle includes a hook member.

13-22. (Cancelled)

23. (New) A hand saw comprising:
a handle including a hand grip portion and first and second blade mounting portions, said first blade mounting portion being disposed on a side surface of said handle and said second blade mounting portion being disposed on a bottom surface of said handle; and
a blade adapted to be removably mounted to either of said first and second blade mounting portions;
wherein said first and second blade mounting portions each include a key adapted to be received in an end slot in said blade.